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TAGS: MASS, KU

SUBJECT: KUWAIT REQUEST FOR US ASSISTANCE WITH AIR COVER

REF: ( A) KUWAIT 1081

WE ARE WORKING ON RESPONSE TO REFTEL. MEANHILE, WE NOTE REQUEST FOR ADVICE ON OBTAINING EFFECTIVE AIR COVER IN FASTEST POSSIBLE WAY COMES FROM UNDERSECRETARY RASHID IN FOREIGN MINISTRY RATHER THAN FROM MIN DEFENSE SAAD OR GENERAL MUBARAK. WE WOULD BE INTERESTED IN YOUR ASCERTAINING IN WHATEVER MANNER YOU DEEM APPROPRIATE TO SATISFY YOURSELF THAT THIS IS ALSO THE VIEW OF KUWAIT MINISTRY OF DEFENSE. ROGERS

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